

THE STORY OF A PENSION.

How a Man Who Raised an Order Went to the Pensionary.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 23.—T. H. Allen, United States pension agent at this city, says that the case of Wells, Fargo & Co., growing out of a fraudulent raising of a money order by a pensioner, which was reported in a dispatch from Washington yesterday, is of long standing, and it is now pending in the United States court here. Agent Allen says he gave the check himself to the pensioner three years ago, and that it was drawn for \$18. The pensioner erased the figures and substituted \$1,200, afterwards presenting the check to a bank in Denver and drawing the money. The check was sent on for collection to Wells, Fargo & Co., of this city, who obtained the money from the assistant treasurer of the United States here. When the fraud was discovered the pensioner, whose name was Henry Metcalf, was arrested in Denver and confessed his guilt. He is now serving a sentence of five years' imprisonment at Cherryvale for the offense.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES.

Snow storms are reported in Michigan. The president appointed Oscar F. Williams United States consul at Havre, France. Charles Bradlaugh, the well known English political and social reformer, is very ill and it is feared is dying. At Granger Crossing, Ind., yesterday, a Grand Trunk engine exploded, instantly killing Engineer Callahan and Fireman Maddox. Surgeon-General Hamilton received a telegram from Dr. Porter, at Key West, reporting another case of yellow fever. Quarantine has been resumed.

The Northwest Central.

WINNIEP, Oct. 23.—Mr. Charlesbos, a director of the Great Northwest railway, went out to Brandon today to make arrangements for getting out materials during the winter. He says the company is one of the strongest and wealthiest on this continent, several British lords and a number of English capitalists being stockholders. The road will run through the northwest to Edmonton. Next year two hundred and perhaps three hundred miles will be constructed. There is also a colonization company concerned in the enterprise.

Catch of Counterfeiters.

CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 23.—For the past few days secret service officers of this city have been busy hauling in counterfeiting gangs which have been at work here. Nearly a dozen men have been arrested.

The supposed stolen bonds have turned up all right. Through the carelessness of a clerk in the treasury department the books had been taken to a stamp printing department some months ago to be stamped. They were forgotten and only brought to light yesterday by a careful search.

The Typhoid Plague.

CLEVELAND, Oct. 23.—A special from Fremont, O., says: At the village of Woodville, this county, nearly one-third of its citizens are the victims of typhoid fever and diphtheria. Last week there were ten deaths from typhoid fever and nearly that number from diphtheria. Great excitement prevails in town and business is entirely suspended.

Two Will Die.

WILKESBARR, Pa., Oct. 23.—While a train of coal cars and a truck were being hoisted up Ashley plane this morning, the wire cable broke and the cars descended the plane at frightful speed and dashed to pieces at the bottom. Three men on the truck were buried in the wreck. Two of them will die and a third may recover.

A Judge Under Siege.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 23.—It is reported that Wilson Howard, the man for whose arrest a large reward has been offered in this state and Missouri, is with a party of a hundred men besieging Judge Lewis, in the Harlan county court house. Lewis is said to have fifty men fortified in the court house. No details can be learned, but the report is probably exaggerated.

Players Must Sign.

CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—President Spaulding, of the Chicago club, says that unless the players reserved by the club sign contracts for next year voluntarily, legal steps will be taken to compel them to do so.

Surprised the Rebels.

ZANZIBAR, Oct. 23.—Lieut. Gravenruth, of Capt. Wisman's expedition, surprised the Bashihs camp and put his forces to flight. Gravenruth is continuing the pursuit.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

Letters for the following persons remain unclaimed for at the Helena, M. T., postoffice on Oct. 24. In calling for them please say "advertised."

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Allen, Jessie
Anderson, C.
Anderson, C.
Anderson, Alfred
Baker, J. E.
Benton, Wm.
Birkland, Erik
Bostwick, Frank
Bosquet, C. E.
Britt, J. W.
Bruden, Jess
Burgess, Jacob
Carnack, S. C.
Cattaneh, H. J.
Chain, Eugene
Cole, A. J.
Cones, James
Curley, John
Day, John
Dunneen, James
Edson, Dan (2)
Embrey, O.
Farwell, Oquar & Co.
Fieldhouse, Will
Gipe, G. W.
Goodwin, Jas. M.
Goodman, J. J.
Grand, Dr.
Hall, Fred
Hall, Abe
Hoag, Samuel W.
Hughes, Ed.
Iverson, Edwin
Kelly, Frank
Larson, Nils
Lloyd, A. E.
Lidell, D. C.
Loey & Co., W.
Maner, Christ
Manning, J. V.
Marka, A.
Metcalf, John
Metz, Julius
Montgomery, Geo.
Monel, Edward
McCauna, F. E.
McClain, Edw.
McSweeney, Pat (2)
National Benefit Company Hospital
Nenzil, Jas.
Nilson, Math.
Olsen, Pit
Patterson, William
Peterson, Adolph
Radlberg, Henry
Ruberg, Martin A.

Scanlan, Frank
Silveria, D. W. (2)
Sherling, J. A.
Smith, Josiah
Staffer & Switzer
Sullivan, William
Thompson, Hans
Vaguetz, Paul
Watt, Thomas
Wells, Isaac E. (2)
Wright, Wm. C.

ADAMS, Mrs. J. I.
Canfield, Mrs. E. S.
Ford Mrs. M. A.
Hamilton, Mrs. G. E.
Kelly, Miss E. M.
Malloy, Miss Mary.
McCormick, Mabel.
McNair, Miss Annie.
Penzenstadler, Miss Anna.
Richardson, Miss Nellie.
Shannon, Mrs. Mary Sifton.
Stevens, Miss A. R. (2)
Williams, Miss Alice.

Boone, Jimmie
Meek, E. H.
C. D. CURTIS, P. M.

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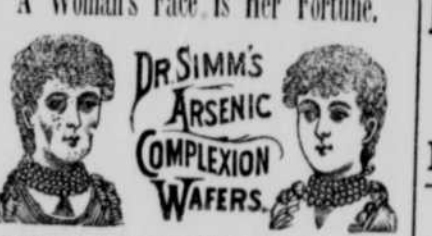
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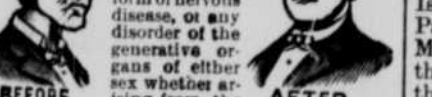


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| Montana Central. | |
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| DEPART. | ARRIVE. |
| St. Paul, Atlantic ex., St. Paul and east. 11:25 a. m. | Helena, Pacific ex., Butte and south. 4:00 p. m. |
| Helena and Butte ex., Butte and south. 8:15 a. m. | Marquette ex., Marquette and south. 7:00 a. m. |
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| Northern Pacific. | |
| DEPART. | ARRIVE. |
| Through westbound. 2:50 p. m. | Butte, Missoula and Helena ex. 12:30 p. m. |
| Butte, Missoula and Helena ex. 12:30 p. m. | Marquette passenger. 8:40 a. m. |
| Rimini accom. Mon. Wed. and Fri. 3:40 p. m. | Helena and Butte passenger. 4:00 p. m. |
| Wicks and Boulder passenger. 4:00 p. m. | Marquette accommodation. 2:30 p. m. |
| Union Pacific. | |
| DEPART. | ARRIVE. |
| For all points east, south and west, via Montana Central and Butte. 11:25 a. m. | Via Northern Pacific and Garrison. 1:15 p. m. |
| Great Northern. | |
| DEPART. | ARRIVE. |
| From all points east, south and west, via Northern Pacific and Butte. 11:25 a. m. | Via Garrison and Northern Pacific. 12:20 p. m. |

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